



1           The local rules of this district obligate attorneys who practice here to “become familiar  
2 with and comply with the standards of professional conduct required of members of the State Bar  
3 of California and contained in the State Bar Act, the Rules of Professional Conduct of the State  
4 Bar of California, and court decisions applicable thereto, which are hereby adopted as standards  
5 of professional conduct in this Court.” E.D. Cal. L.R. 180(e). The California Rules of  
6 Professional Conduct provide in turn that a lawyer shall not “knowingly make a false statement of  
7 fact or law to a tribunal or fail to correct a statement of material fact or law previously made to  
8 the tribunal.” Cal. R. Prof. Conduct 3.3(a)(1). Nor may a lawyer “knowingly misquote to a  
9 tribunal the language of a . . . decision or other authority.” Cal. R. Prof. Conduct 3.3(a)(2).

10           **Within seven days**, counsel for plaintiff Library is **ordered to show cause** why this court  
11 should not impose sanctions for violations of the rules quoted in the previous paragraph,  
12 including monetary sanctions of \$250 and the striking of the filings at ECF Nos. 36 and 37 in  
13 whole or in part.

14           IT IS SO ORDERED.

15           DATED: July 7, 2025.

  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE